Communication

Fiscal Unit/Academic Org Administering College/Academic Group School Of Communication - D0744 Social And Behavioral Sciences

Co-adminstering College/Academic Group Semester Conversion Designation

Converted with minimal changes to program goals and/or curricular requirements (e.g., sub-plan/specialization name changes, changes in electives and/or prerequisites, minimal changes in overall

structure of program, minimal or no changes in program goals or content)

Current Program/Plan Name Communication Communication **Proposed Program/Plan Name** COMM-BA Program/Plan Code Abbreviation **Current Degree Title** Bachelor of Arts

Credit Hour Explanation

| Program credit hour requirements | | A) Number of credit hours in current program (Quarter credit hours) | B) Calculated result for 2/3rds of current (Semester credit hours) | C) Number of credit hours required for proposed program (Semester credit hours) | D) Change in credit hours |
|---|---------|---|--|--|---------------------------|
| Total minimum credit hours completion of programmers | | 57 | 38.0 | 40 | 2.0 |
| Required credit hours offered by the unit | Minimum | 45 | 30.0 | 34 | 4.0 |
| | Maximum | 60 | 40.0 | 40 | 0.0 |
| Required credit hours offered outside of the unit | Minimum | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| | Maximum | 15 | 10.0 | 6 | 4.0 |
| Required prerequisite credit hours not included above | Minimum | 5 | 3.3 | 3 | 0.3 |
| | Maximum | 5 | 3.3 | 3 | 0.3 |

Program Learning Goals

Note: these are required for all undergraduate degree programs and majors now, and will be required for all graduate and professional degree programs in 2012. Nonetheless, all programs are encouraged to complete these now.

Program Learning Goals

- Students are knowledgeable about the principles of communication within a social science framework and understand the role of communication in society.
- Students are competent in practicing communication.
- Students are sufficiently trained and prepared to get jobs in the field of communication.

Assessment

Assessment plan includes student learning goals, how those goals are evaluated, and how the information collected is used to improve student learning. An assessment plan is required for undergraduate majors and degrees. Graduate and professional degree programs are encouraged to complete this now, but will not be required to do so until 2012.

Is this a degree program (undergraduate, graduate, or professional) or major proposal? Yes

Does the degree program or major have an assessment plan on file with the university Office of Academic Affairs? Yes

Summarize how the program's current quarter-based assessment practices will be modified, if necessary, to fit the semester calendar.

For our assessment, we use a variety of direct and indirect methods, across several courses, and our core courses remain essentially the same. None of our assessment practices depend on quarter or semester lengths. As a result, we do not anticipate any changes to our assessment practices under the semester system.

Status: PENDING **PROGRAM REQUEST** Last Updated: Mumy, Gene Elwood 05/31/2011 Communication

Program Specializations/Sub-Plans

If you do not specify a program specialization/sub-plan it will be assumed you are submitting this program for all program specializations/sub-plans.

Program Specialization/Sub-Plan Name

Strategic Communication (Existing)

Program Specialization/Sub-Plan Goals

Program Specialization/Sub-Plan Name

Communication Technology (Existing)

Program Specialization/Sub-Plan Goals

Program Specialization/Sub-Plan Name

Comm Analysis & Practice (Existing)

Program Specialization/Sub-Plan Goals

Pre-Major

Does this Program have a Pre-Major? Yes

Completion of COMM 1100 and 1101 (with C- or better). Freshmen considered for admission following 15 semester hours minimum, transfer students considered for admission following completion of premajor courses. Enrollment management plan remains. Students admitted based on space and cumulative grade point average. Transfer students fulfilling premajor courses through transfer will be considered based upon cumulative gpa from transferring institutions. See Semester Conversion_Revision of Premajor

Attachments

• CCI Subcommittee Chair Letter RevisedCommBA.doc: CCI Subcommittee Chair Letter

(Other Supporting Documentation. Owner: Vankeerbergen, Bernadette Chantal)

COMM Curric Map.pdf

(Curricular Map(s). Owner: McDonald, Daniel Gary)

upload proposal.pdf

(Program Proposal. Owner: McDonald, Daniel Gary)

Division Letter for Communication.doc: Division Letter

(Letter from the College to OAA. Owner: Mumy, Gene Elwood)

Comments

In semester advising sheets after Strategic Comm, the prereqs are shown as Comm 1101 and 1101 rather than 1100 and 1101. Also, the quarterly advising sheets do not show prereqs but total hours reflect them so a casual look makes it appear that two courses have been added, which is not the case: consider correcting this. (by Mumy, Gene Elwood on 11/24/2010 06:26 PM)

PROGRAM REQUEST
Communication

Workflow Information

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To: Larry Krissek From: Jim Fredal

Re: Revised Semester Conversion Proposal for Communication BA

Date: Feb 1, 2011

Larry:

The CCI Sciences subcommittee met on April 4th to discuss the revised Communication BA semester conversion proposal and voted unanimously to approve it and send it forward to the full CCI contingent upon a few minor corrections and comments. The Communication BA has been minimally modified from its quarter version. Changes include the development of methods courses specific to each track, and the splitting of some quarter courses into smaller, two credit hour semester courses to allow for students to select "clusters" appropriate to each track. The major will continue to include three separate tracks that students select, with a research methods class, a set of core area requirements, and a set of area electives for each track. Corrections and omissions from the proposal are noted below.

- Nowhere do the courses have credit hours attached. This seems particularly important on the semester advising sheets since the requirements are listed in terms of credit hours rather than in terms of courses.
- The transition policy includes a few typographical errors: "potentialsome problems" and "ofto not delayingdelay." We also suggested a review of all tracks to ensure that no course sequences or shifts in requirements from quarters to semesters would require specific transition needs.
- The advising sheet for the Strategic Communication track has a few quarter numbers (Stat 135 and 145 and Comm 699).
- Also for the Strategic Communication track, students could take whole major with only 3 upper-level courses. The advising sheet might include a note reminding students that they need to take 39 credits at the upper-level for their overall program.
- Finally, on p. 2 of the proposal, the "List of Semester Courses in the Program" lists CS&E 2310, but the course does not appear in subsequent list of courses with titles (p.4). There may be other similar discrepancies between the two lists as well.

Thanks.

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May 20, 2011

Chairs of Arts and Sciences CCI and CAA

Dear Chairs:

At the <u>undergraduate level</u> the School of Communication has two major programs:

The Communication Bachelor of Art with three areas of concentration: 1) Strategic Communication; 2) New Media and Communication Technology; and 3) Communication Analysis and Practice.

The Public Affairs Journalism Bachelor of Art (a tagged degree).

In her cover letter, School Director Carroll describes the careful consideration given by the School to the semester conversion plans for all programs, especially these two majors and the minimal changes made to the majors in the conversion. The only changes worth noticing at all are the repackaging of some courses into more concentrated modules. The conversion plans were reviewed and endorsed by the Social Sciences Disciplinary Advisory Panel (SS DAP).

As a result I approve Communication's conversion plans for its two majors and submit them for CCI's consideration.

At the <u>undergraduate level</u> Communication also has four minors. In addition to the General Communication minor, there are three specialized minors:

- A) Communication Technology
- B) Media and Society
- C) Organizational Communication

The three specialized minors were developed during 2007 and were approved as new minors in Spring 2008; and the general minor was reassessed at the same time. Because of technical issues with PACER the Communication Technology and Organizational Communication minors are listed as new, when they are in fact straight conversions of the minors approved in 2008 at 20 quarter credit hours. Indeed all of the minors are straight conversions because they are new or were reconsidered as part of the 2007-2008 process. As a result the SS DAP has endorsed the semester versions and I have approved them and submit them for CCI's consideration.

At the **graduate level** Communication offers the Ph.D. and MA. In her letter, School Director Glynn notes that much thought was given to the structure of the programs but in the end the faculty was satisfied with the current structure of the programs and both were converted with very minimal change.

The approval process for all Ph.D. and MA programs in SBS was that all of them were first examined and discussed for feedback and improvement by the SBS Graduate Committee, which is made up of the graduate directors. When ready for final consideration in the Division they move to the Social Sciences Disciplinary Advisory Panel (SS DAP). For other graduate programs in SBS the departments work with the associate dean and then the programs are sent to the SS DAP when ready.

The SS DAP has approved the Communication Ph.D. and MA programs after minor changes and I endorse that decision and now submit them to CAA and the Graduate School for their consideration.

Sincerely,

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To:

Reviewing Committee

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Director

School of Communication

Subject:

Program Conversion

The School of Communication is pleased to recommend the adoption of the enclosed materials for semester conversion. These materials include templates for the following programs:

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Program:

Ph.D., Communication

M.A., Communication

BA, Communication (sub-plan in Strategic Communication)

BA, Communication (sub-plan in New Media and Communication Technology)

BA, Communication (sub-plan in Communication Analysis and Practice)

BA in Journalism, Public Affairs Journalism

Minors:

Communication (general)

Organizational Communication

Communication Technology

Media and Society

Our conversion, as with all major curriculum initiatives and revisions, followed the School of Communication Pattern of Administration guidelines through discussions and deliberations involving all department faculty. In this instance, these discussions and deliberations were pursued by our Semester Conversion Committee, discussions with all departmental faculty by area and at faculty meetings, discussions amongst the chairs of the Undergraduate and Graduate Studies committees with the department chair, and solicited input (including focus group discussions) from undergraduate and graduate students. In addition, we sought advice and information about experiences from benchmark institutions that had undergone calendar conversion in recent years.

Our Associate Director for Planning and Research and our Associate Director for Undergraduate Studies worked with our Undergraduate Program Coordinator and members of the faculty representing each area of study to develop our undergraduate plans. The Director of Graduate Studies and members of the School of Communication Graduate Studies Committee worked together to put together the M.A. and Ph.D. semester conversion graduate programs.

Votes were taken within committees and at faculty meetings to develop consensus in support of the programs. The plans were presented to the full School of Communication faculty and

feedback was provided and taken into account in revisions. A final vote was taken and results were strongly supportive of the proposed semester conversions of our undergraduate and graduate programs as reflected in these documents.

We believe that we have followed all guidelines and provided what is required at upper administrative levels. While our programs fall within the scope of 'minimal programmatic changes,' our faculty and staff had put a great deal of thought and effort into the conversion. In addition, we have sought input from our graduate and undergraduate students, conducted focus groups on semester conversion as well as on what they would like to see changed, examine potential overlap in courses with the transition to semester, run simulations for course enrollments for majors and non-majors with the move to semesters. In addition, we have developed plans for staffing courses with faculty and graduate teaching assistants, assessing our needs and running simulations based on projected enrollments. The results reflect, I think, the best programs we can develop that will insure that all of our students can remain on track for graduation while obtaining a high-quality education in Communication and Journalism.

A number of courses have been dropped, or merged, there are several new courses, and we have considered the implications of all the changes for our undergraduates. Minimal programmatic change also reflects the fact that our curriculum has been in continual update and change for the past 10 years. We have seen a number of programs at our peer institutions follow our lead in developing concentrations within communication, and reforming our journalism major to keep apace with industry evolution. Because of these efforts, much of our work was focused on maintaining the integrity of our programs while converting to semesters, identifying weak spots and/or potential problems, and ensuring that students in the transition years will not be harmed by the process.

I recommend approval of our plan for semester conversion.

Communication Major Semester Proposal

Rationale for Program Changes – Communication

The date of the last significant revision to the Communication Major program was in 2006. The Communication degree includes three possible sub-plans: Strategic Communication, New Media and Communication Technology, and Communication Analysis and Practice. There are similarities in the core subject matter but the principles are taught in sets of courses designed to prepare students for different career paths. The challenge has been to convert the program to semesters.

The changes to the communication major program can be summarized as follows:

- a. enabling semester research methods to be more specialized for the sub-plans so that a particular 4-credit methods course is required for some of the sub-plans.
- b. re-envisioning to enable 'clusters' of courses:

COMM 653, "Political Communication and e-Democracy" to enable two 2-credit classes: COMM 4853.01, "New Media and Democracy" and COMM 4853.02, "Media and Social Movements."

COMM 3330, 3331, 3332 and 3333 are four 2-credit courses based around a general theme of strategic risk analysis and communication within particular contexts. These take the place of 3 5-credit quarter classes

Table highlighting credit hour changes

| | Quarter | 2/3 of | Proposed |
|------------------------|---------|---------------|----------|
| | Hours | Quarter Hours | Semester |
| | | | Hours |
| Premajor | 15 | 10 | 6 |
| Prerequisites | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Requirements | 50 | 33.5 | 34-35* |
| And Required Electives | | | |
| Total | 65 | 43.55 | 43-44* |

^{*}Requirements vary, depending on sub-plan.

Rationale for credit hour changes

Proportionately, our credit hours remain as close as we can get to our quarter programs, subject to rounding error.

List of Semester Courses in the program.

| Sub-Plan | Premajor | Research Methods | Core | Vis. Design | Special- ization Electives | Special Topic I | Electives |
|--------------|-----------|---------------------|------------|-------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|--------------|
| | 6 cr. req | 4 cr. req | 16 cr. req | | 9 cr. req | 6 cr. req | |
| Strategic | 1100 | 2163 | 2321 | n/a | 2668 | 2131 | 4998(H) |
| Communi- | 1101 | | 2325 | | 3330(H) | 2511 | 4990(H) |
| cation | | | 2331 | | 3331 | 3332 | |
| | | | 2367(H) | | 3333 | 4190 | |
| | | | 4337 | | 3334 | 4191 | |
| | | | | | 3345 | 4445 | |
| | | | | | 3444 | 4556 | |
| | | | | | 3628 | 4635 | |
| | | | | | 4820(H) | 4668 | |
| New Media | | | | | | | |
| and Communi- | | | | | | | |
| cation | | | | | | 9 credits from 6 | * |
| Technology | | 4 cr. req | 12 cr. req | 3 cr. req | 6 cr. req | At least 6 cr. fr | |
| | 1100 | 2165 | 2367(H) | 2511 | 3513 | Track 1 | Track 2 |
| | 1101 | | 2540 | IIVCD | 4554 | 4191 | 3330(H) |
| | | | 3545 | 3405 | 4557 | 4511 | 3331 |
| | | | 3554 | IIVCD | 4738 | 4555 | 4191 |
| | | | | 3505 | 4853.01 | 4557 | 4556 |
| | | | | IIVCD | 4853.02 | 4998(H) | 4557 |
| | | | | 4405 | | 4999(H) | 4998(H) |
| | | | | IIVCD | | CS&E 1223 | 4999(H) |
| | | | | 4505 | | CS&E 1211 | BUS MHR 2200 |
| | | | | | | PSYCH 2310 | BUS M&L 2250 |
| | | | | | | PSYCH 2312 | CS&E 1113 |
| | | | | | | PSYCH 4597.0 | 02 CS&E 1233 |
| Communi- | | | | | | | |
| cation | | | | | | | |
| Analysis and | | | 12 cr. req | | | 18 cr. req | |
| Practice | | | | | | | |

| 1100 | 2160(H) | 1110 | n/a | n/a | 2442 | 3624 | 4668 |
|------|---------|---------|-----|-----|---------|------|---------|
| 1101 | | 2367(H) | | | 2668 | 3628 | 4736 |
| | | 2620 | | | 3240(H) | 3629 | 4737 |
| | | 3440 | | | 3330(H) | 3662 | 4738 |
| | | | | | 3331 | 3667 | 4814 |
| | | | | | 3332 | 4401 | 4820(H) |
| | | | | | 3402 | 4445 | 4853.01 |
| | | | | | 3404(H) | 4600 | 4853.02 |
| | | | | | 3413 | 4635 | 4998(H) |
| | | | | | 3466 | 4665 | 4999(H) |

List of Courses with Titles (Credit Hours)

Premajor for all sub-plans:

1100 Communication in Society (3)

1101 History of Communication (3)

Research Methods Requirement (1 required of each concentration):

2160(H) Communication Research Methods (4)

2163 Communication Industry Research Methods (4)

2165 Evaluation and Usability Testing (4)

Core Requirements (differing for each concentration):

Strategic Communication

2321 Writing for Strategic Communication (3)

2325 Intro to Organizational Communication (3)

2331 Strategic Communication Principles (3)

2367(H) Persuasive Communication (3)

4337 Public Communication Campaigns (4)

New Media and Communication Technology

2367(H) Persuasive Communication (3)

2540 Introduction to Communication Technology (3)

3545 Human-Computer Interaction (3)

3554 Social Implications of Technology (3)

Communication Analysis and Practice

1110 Public Speaking (3)

2367(H) Persuasive Communication (3)

2620 Interpersonal Communication (3)

3440 Mass Communication & Society (3)

Visual Design Requirement (New Media and Communication Technology only – min. 3 cr.):

2511 Visual Design (3)

IIVCD 3405 Design Media for Non-Majors (3)

IIVCD 3505 3-D Visualization (3)

IIVCD 4405 Web Communications (3) IIVCD 4505 Information Design (3)

Sub-Plan Electives (differing for each area):

Strategic Communication (minimum 9 cr. hours)

2668 Intercultural Communication (3)

3330(H) Communication and Conflict Mgmt (2)

3331 Communication and Decision Making (2)

3333 Crisis Communication (2)

3334 Strategic Message Design (3)

3345 Strategic Media Planning (3)

3444 Advertising and Society (3)

3628 Contemporary Persuasion Theory (3)

4820(H) Public Opinion and Communication (3)

New Media and Communication Technology

3513 Video Games and the Individual (3)

4554 Social Media (3)

4557 Communication Networks (3)

4738 Health Communication and New Media (3)

4853.01 New Media and Democracy (2)

4853.02 Media and Social Movements (2)

4998(H) Undergraduate Research Experience (1-3)

4999(H) Undergraduate Honors Thesis (1-12)

Communication Analysis and Practice

No set sub-plan elective requirements

Special Topic Electives (Integration and Application)

Strategic Communication (3 separate courses and 9 credit hours are required; Internship and Co-Op are repeatable but may each count as one course from this cluster); Undergraduate Research Experience (COMM 4998(H)), or Undergraduate Honors Thesis (COMM 4999(H)), may also count as one of these courses one time (maximum of 3 credits each) within any of the subplans.

- 2131 Business and Professional Speaking (3)
- 2511 Visual Communication Design (3)
- 3332 Risk Communication (2)
- 4190 Journalism and Communication Co-Operative

Educational Experience (0-12)

- 4191 Internship in Communication and Journalism (1-3)
- 4445 Stereotypes in Media (3)
- 4556 Information Tech and Org Communication (3)
- 4635 Small Group Communication (3)
- 4668 Issues in Intercultural Communication (3)
- 4998(H) Undergraduate Research Experience (1-3)

4999(H) Undergraduate Honors Thesis (1-12)

New Media and Communication Technology. Nine credits from one track; at least 6 credits from COMM; 4191 is repeatable but may only count once toward this requirement); 4998(H) and 4999(H) may be counted to a maximum of 3 credits.

Track 1 Human-Computer Interaction

4191 Internship in Communication and Journalism (1-3)

4511 User-Centered Web Design (3)

4555 Computer Interface and Human Identity (3)

4557 Communication Networks (3)

4998(H) Undergraduate Research Experience (1-3)

4999(H) Undergraduate Honors Thesis (1-12)

CS&E 1223 Intro to Computer Programming in Java (3)

CS&E 1211 Computational Thinking in Context: Images,

Animation & Games (3)

PSYCH 2310 Sensation and Perception

PSYCH 2312 Memory and Cognition

PSYCH 4597.02 Contemporary World: Technology, Efficiency, and Happiness

Track 2 Communication Technology Management

3330(H) Communication and Conflict Management (2)

3331 Communication and Decision Making (2)

4191 Internship in Communication and Journalism (1-3)

4556 Information Technology & Org Communication (3)

4557 Communication Networks (3)

4998(H) Undergraduate Research Experience (1-3)

4999(H) Undergraduate Honors Thesis (1-12)

BUS MHR 2200 Foundations of Management & HR

BUS M&L 2250 Marketing Management

CS&E 1113Intro to Computer Assisted Problem Solving for Business (4)

CS&E 1233 Data Structures Using Java (3)

Communication Analysis and Practice. Internship (COMM 4191), Undergraduate Research Experience (COMM 4998(H)), or Undergraduate Honors Thesis (COMM 4999(H)), may also count as one of these courses one time (maximum of 3 credits each) within any of the clusters.

Cluster in Mass Media Effects

2442 Media Violence (3)

3402 Crime and the News Media (3)

3413 Media Entertainment (3)

3466 Communication and Popular Culture (2)

4401 Mass Communication and Youth (3)

4445 Stereotypes in Media (3)

4600 Communication and Emotion (3)

4814 Political Communication (3)

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4998(H) Undergraduate Research Experience (1-3)
      4999(H) Undergraduate Honors Thesis (1-12)
Cluster in Health, Science and Risk Communication
       3240(H) Science Communication (3)
       3332 Risk Communication (2)
       3628 Contemporary Persuasion Theory (3)
       4668 Issues in Intercultural Communication (3)
      4736 Health Communication in Interpersonal Contexts (3)
       4737 Health Communication in Mass Mediated Contexts (3)
      4738 Health Communication and New Media (3)
       4998(H) Undergraduate Research Experience (1-3)
      4999(H) Undergraduate Honors Thesis (1-12)
Cluster in Communication for Advocacy and Politics
       3330(H) Communication and Conflict Mgmt (2)
       3331 Communication and Decision Making (2)
       3404(H) Media Law and Ethics (3)
       3628 Contemporary Persuasion Theory (3)
       4665 Communication and Community (3)
      4668 Issues in Intercultural Communication (3)
      4814 Political Communication (3)
       4820(H) Public Opinion and Communication (3)
      4853.01 New Media and Democracy (2)
      4853.02 Media and Social Movements (2)
      4998(H) Undergraduate Research Experience (1-3)
       4999(H) Undergraduate Honors Thesis (1-12)
Cluster in Interpersonal Communication Processes
       2668 Intercultural Communication (3)
       3624 Communication in Personal Relationships (3)
       3629 Language and Social Interaction (3)
       3662 Communication and Gender (3)
       3667 Nonverbal Communication (3)
       4600 Communication and Emotion (3)
       4635 Small Group Communication (3)
      4665 Communication and Community (3)
       4736 Health Comm. in Interpersonal Contexts (3)
       4998(H) Undergraduate Research Experience (1-3)
       4999(H) Undergraduate Honors Thesis (1-12)
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Proposed semester-based and quarter-based curriculum advising sheets (following pages)

Strategic Communication: Semesters



School of Communication

Communication B.A. Sub-Plan in Strategic Communication (Minimum 35 credits)

Program Area Description Study and analysis of communication planning and strategies. Students will learn how to integrate public relations, marketing communication, audience analysis and persuasion theory in the study and design of communication plans for organizations.

Students in this area will take courses that emphasize the following:

- Public Relations and Marketing Communication
- Persuasion and Public Opinion Theory
- Communication Campaigns
- Audience Analysis

Students will train for careers in business and management or as communication specialists in organizations. They can find employment as public relations specialists, communication campaign and information managers, and communication consultants.

Pre-major requirements: COMM 1100 Communication in Society (3) COMM 1101 History of Communication (3)

| All five courses r | |
|--|--|
| COMM 2321 COMM 2325 | Writing for Strategic Communication (3) Intro to Organizational Communication (3) |
| COMM 2331 COMM 2367(H) COMM 4337 | Strategic Communication Principles (3) Persuasive Communication (3) Public Communication Campaigns (4) |

| Sub-Plan Electiv | r <u>es</u> (9 credit hrs.) |
|-------------------|---|
| Choose at least 3 | not already counted in other categories |
| | - |
| COMM 2668 | Intercultural Communication (3) |
| COMM 3330(H) | Command Conflict Mgmt (2) |
| COMM 3331 | Communication and Decision Making (2) |
| COMM 3333 | Crisis Communication (2) |
| COMM 3334 | Strategic Message Design (3) |
| COMM 3345 | Strategic Media Planning (3) |
| COMM 3444 | Advertising and Society (3) |
| COMM 3628 | Contemporary Persuasion Theory (3) |
| COMM 4820(H) | Public Opinion and Communication (3) |

(4 credit hrs.) Research Methods

COMM 2163 Communication Industry Research (4) Methods (prereq: Stat 1350, 1450 or equiv)

Special Topic Electives

(6 credit hrs.)

Choose 2 additional courses in the School that fit your career goals. One of these could be an internship (Comm 4191), co-op (COMM 4190), or research (COMM 4998). Internship and co-op may each count toward this requirement only once. You may also take additional courses from sub-plan electives.

Recommended Courses:

| recommended compey. | | | | |
|---------------------|---|--|--|--|
| COMM 2131 | Business and Professional Speaking (3) | | | |
| COMM 2511 | Visual Communication Design (3) | | | |
| COMM 3332 | Risk Communication (2) | | | |
| COMM 4190 | Journalism and Communication Co-Operative | | | |
| | Educational Experience (0-12) | | | |
| COMM 4191 | Internship in Com. And Journ. (1-3) | | | |
| COMM 4445 | Stereotypes in Media (3) | | | |
| COMM 4556 | Information Tech and Org Comm (3) | | | |
| COMM 4635 | Small Group Communication (3) | | | |
| COMM 4668 | Issues in Intercultural Communication (3) | | | |
| COMM 4998(H) | Undergraduate Research Experience (1-3) | | | |
| COMM 4999(H) | Undergraduate Honors Thesis (1-12) | | | |
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(H) Honors course offered

Internship - To reinforce the fit between coursework and real-world applications and to improve career opportunities, students are strongly encouraged to take an internship for at least one semester.

Minor - Students are encouraged to complete a minor in one of the following areas: General Business - Economics - Consumer Affairs

Strategic Communication: Quarters



School of Communication

Strategic Communication – BA (Minimum 50 hours)

Program Area Description Study and analysis of communication planning and strategies. Students will learn how to integrate public relations, marketing communication, audience analysis and persuasion theory in the study and design of communication plans for organizations.

Students in this area will take courses that emphasize the following:

- Public Relations and Marketing Communication
- Persuasion and Public Opinion Theory
- Communication Campaigns
- Audience Analysis

Students will train for careers in business and management or as communication specialists in organizations. They can find employment as public relations specialists, communication campaign and information managers, and communication consultants.

| Research Metho Choose one of the | (5 credit hrs.) | |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------|
| COMM 460(H) | Communication Research | ch Methods |
| COMM 463 | Communication Industr Methods | y Research |

| Focus Area Elect | |
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| Choose at least 2: | not already counted in other categories |
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| COMM 311 | Visual Communication Design |
| COMM 368 | Intercultural Comm in Org Contexts |
| COMM 500 | Quant Reasoning for Journalism & Comm |
| COMM 531(H) | Communication and Conflict Mgmt |
| COMM 545 | Strategic Media Planning |
| COMM 604 | Media Ethics |
| COMM 614 | Political Communication |
| COMM 620(H) | Public Opinion and Communication |
| COMM 628 | Contemporary Persuasion Theory |
| COMM 631 | Communication and Decision Making |
| COMM 632 | Risk Communication |
| COMM 634 | Creative Message Design |
| COMM 635 | Small Groups and Org Comm |
| COMM 636.02 | Health Comm in Mass Mediated Contexts |
| COMM 644 | Advertising and Society |
| COMM 646 | Media Economics |
| COMM 656 | Information Tech and Org Comm |
| COMM 668 | Intercultural Comm in Org Contexts |
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| Focus Area Requ All five courses re | |
|--|---------------------------------------|
| COMM 221 | Writing for Strategic Communication |
| COMM 325 | Intro to Organizational Communication |
| COMM 367(H) | Persuasive Communication |
| COMM 431 | Strategic Communication Principles |
| COMM 637 | Public Communication Campaigns |

Integration and Application Electives (10 credit hrs.)

Choose 2 additional courses in the School that fit your career goals. One of these could be an internship (Comm 683) or Journalism and Communication Co-operative Ed Experience (COMM 690. You may also take additional courses from focus area electives.

Suggested Courses with Focus on External Audiences: COMM 620(H) Public Opinion & Communication COMM 628 Contemporary Persuasion Theory COMM 634 Creative Message Design

COMM 634 Creative Message Design COMM 644 Advertising and Society

Suggested Courses with Focus on Organizational

Communication:

COMM 368 Intercultural Comm in Org Contexts
COMM 531(H) Communication and Conflict Mgmt
COMM 631 Communication and Decision Making
Information Tech and Org Comm
COMM 668 Intercultural Comm in Org Contexts

(H) Honors course offered

Internship - To reinforce the fit between coursework and real-world applications and to improve career opportunities, students are strongly encouraged to take an internship for at least one quarter.

Minor - Students are encouraged to complete a minor in one of the following areas:

General Business - Economics - Consumer Affairs



School of Communication

Communication B.A.

Sub-Plan in New Media and Communication Technology (Minimum 34 credits)

Program Area Description: The purpose of the New Media and Communication Technology sub-plan is to understand the relation between communication technology and communication processes in different contexts. Courses in this area emphasize the following:

- Design of useful and usable interactive communication technologies.
- Effective communication about technology with people with varying technical backgrounds.
- Architecture and design of communication messages in various community contexts such as interpersonal, organizational, and new media

Students will be prepared for employment opportunities in the corporate sector, communication technology industries, and niche areas such as health and entertainment.

Pre-major requirements: COMM 1100 Communication in Society (3) COMM 1101 History of Communication (3)

| Core Requirem All four required | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| COMM 2367(H) | Persuasive Communication (3) |
| COMM 2540 | Intro to Communication Technology (3) |
| COMM 3545 | Human-Computer Interaction (3) |
| COMM 3554 | Social Implications of Technology (3) |

| Visual Design Requirement (3 credit hrs.) Choose 1 course from the following: | | |
|---|---------------------------------|--|
| COMM 2511 | Visual Communication Design (3) | |
| IIVCD 3405 | Design Media for Non-Majors (3) | |
| IIVCD 3505 | 3-D Visualization (3) | |
| IIVCD 4405 | Web Communications (3) | |
| IIVCD 4505 | Information Design (3) | |

Research Method Requirement (4 credit hrs.) COMM 2165 Evaluation and Usability Testing

| Sub-Plan Elect | tives (0 credit hrs.) |
|-----------------|------------------------------------|
| Choose at least | 2 courses from the following: |
| COMM 3513 | Video Games and the Individual (3) |
| COMM 4554 | Social Media (3) |
| COMM 4557 | Communication Naturarks (3) |

COMM 4738 Health Communication and New Media (3) COMM 4853.01 New Media and Democracy (2) COMM 4853.02 Media and Social Movements (2)

Choose from one of the following tracks for Special Topic Electives (9 Credit hrs. required):

Human-Computer Interaction (HCI) Choose 3 courses from the following (6 credits must be from COMM; 4191 is repeatable but may only count once toward. this requirement):

| COMM 4191 | Internship in Comm. and Journ. (1-3) |
|---------------|---|
| COMM 4511 | User-Centered Web Design (3) |
| COMM 4555 | Computer Interface and Human Identity (3) |
| COMM 4557 | Communication Networks (3) |
| COMM 4998(H) | Undergraduate Research Experience (1-3) |
| COMM 4999(H) | Undergraduate Honors Thesis (1-12) |
| CS&E 1223 | Intro to Computer Programming in Java (3) |
| CS&E 1211 | Computational Thinking in Context: Images |
| | Animations & Games (3) |
| PSYCH 2310 | Sensation and Perception |
| PSYCH 2312 | Memory and Cognition |
| PSYCH 4597.02 | Contemporary World: Technology, |
| | Efficiency, and Happiness |

Communication Technology Management (CTM) Choose at least 3 from the following (6 credits must be from COMM; 4191 is repeatable but may only count once toward this requirement):

COMM 3330(H) Communication and Conflict Management (2) COMM 3331 Communication and Decision Making (2) COMM 4191 Internship in Comm. and Journ. (1-3) COMM 4556 Information Technology & Org Com (3) COMM 4557 Communication Networks (3) COMM 4998(H) Undergraduate Research Experience (1-3) COMM 4999(H) Undergraduate Honors Thesis (1-12) BUS MHR 2200 Found of Management & Human Resources BUS M&L 2250 Marketing Management CS&E 1113 Intro to Computer Assisted Problem Solving for Business (4) Data Structures Using Java (3) CS&E 1233

Internship - To reinforce the fit between coursework and real-world applications and to improve career opportunities, students are strongly encouraged to take an internship for at least one semester.

Minor - Students are encouraged to complete a minor in one of the following areas: Industrial, Interior and Visual Communication

Design - Cognitive Science - Computer and Information Science - General Business

New Media and Communication Technology: Quarters



School of Communication

New Media and Communication Technology - BA (for students admitted to major WI11 and after)

Program Area Description: The purpose of the New Media and Communication Technology focus area is to understand the relation between communication technology and communication processes in different contexts.

Students in this area will take courses that emphasize study of the following:

- Design of useful and usable interactive communication technologies.
- Effective communication about technology with people with varying technical backgrounds.
- Implications of new communication technology on society from cultural, psychological, organizational and economic perspectives
- Architecture and design of communication messages in various community contexts such as interpersonal, organizational, and new media

Students will be prepared for the information economy as managers of technology-based communication campaigns, online content developers, and web and multimedia designers. Employment opportunities exist in the corporate sector, communication technology industries, and niche areas such as health and entertainment.

| Focus Area Required | uirements (25 credit hrs.) | |
|---------------------|--|--|
| COMM 240 | Intro to Communication Technology | |
| COMM 367(H) | Persuasive Communication | |
| COMM 450 | Principles of Human-Computer Interaction | |
| COMM 650 | Evaluation & Usability Testing | |
| COMM 654 | Social Implications of Technology | |

| Focus Area Ele Choose at least | ective (5 credit hrs.) 1 from the following |
|--|--|
| COMM 513 | Video Games and the Individual |
| COMM 638 | Communication and e-Health |
| COMM 653 | Political Communication and e-Democracy |
| COMM 655 | Computer Interface and Hum an Identity |

| Visual Design R Choose 1 course | equirement (4-5 cred it hrs.) from the following: |
|------------------------------------|---|
| COMM 311 | Visual Communication Design |
| DESIGN 320 | Electronic Media for the Designer |
| DESIGN 570 | Intro to Image Graphics Techniques |
| DESIGN 571 | Fundamentals of 3D Design Visualization |
| DESIGN 573 | Fundamentals of Multimedia Design |

Choose from one of the following tracks:

Human-Computer Interaction (HCI)

Integration and Application Electives (13-15 credit hrs.)
Choose 3 courses from the following (one must be from COMM):

| STEELS 3.0 |
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| Effective Communication for the Web |
| Principles of Communication Networks |
| Internship in Communication |
| Elementary Computer Programming |
| Interactive Animations & Games |
| Digital Images & Sound |
| Learning, Memory & Cognition prereq: Psych 100 and Statistics 145 or equiv) |
| Introduction to Cognitive Psychology (prereq: Statistics 145 or equiv) |
| Technology, Efficiency, and Happiness |
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Communication Technology Management (CTM)

Integration and Application Electives (13-15 cred it hrs.) Choose at least 3 from the following (one must be from COMM):

| COMM 531 | Communication and Conflict Management |
|-------------|---|
| COMM 631 | Communication in Decision Making |
| COMM 656 | Information Technology & Organizational Comm |
| COMM 657 | Principles of Communication Networks |
| COMM 683 | Internship in Communication |
| BUS MHR 400 | Foundations of Management & Human |
| | Resources (prereq: Math 130 or equiv, CS&B 100 or above, and Boon 200) |
| CS&E 200 | Computer Assisted Problem Solving for Business (prereq: Math 116, 130, 148 or higher) |
| CS&E 201 | Elementary Computer Programming |
| CS&E 214 | Data Structures for Information Systems prereq: CS&B 201) |

Internship - To reinforce the fit between coursework and real-world applications and to improve career opportunities, students are strongly encouraged to take an internship for at least one quarter.

Minor - Students are encouraged to complete a minor in one of the following areas: Industrial, Interior and Visual Communication Design - Cognitive Science - Computer and Information Science - General Business

Communication Analysis & Practice: Semesters



School of Communication

Communication B.A.

Sub-Plan in Communication Analysis and Practice (Minimum 34 credits)

Program Area Description: Students can specialize in different areas including public opinion and media effects, communication in a democracy, relational and health communication, and communication and advocacy. Students in this area will take courses that emphasize the following:

- The study of mass media as social, cultural, and political institutions
- The relationship of mass communication to public opinion, political and health communication
- Various methods used to study opinions and behaviors

Students will train for careers as communication specialists for media, telecommunication, health and political organizations.

Additional requirements: COMM 1100 Communication in Society (3) and COMM 1101 History of Communication (3) are premajor requirements. Stat 1350, 1450, or equivalent is a prerequisite to the research methods course within the major.

Research Method Requirement (4 credit hrs.)
COMM 2160(H) Communication Research Methods (4)
(prereq: Stat 1350, 1450 or equivalent)

COMM 1110 Public Speaking (3)
COMM 2367(H) Persuasive Communication (3)
COMM 2620 Interpersonal Communication (3)
COMM 3440 Mass Communication & Society (3)

Cluster in Internersonal Communication Processes

Special Topic Electives (18 credit hrs.)

Choose at least 6 additional courses in the School of Communication. At least 12 hrs. must be at the 3000 level or above. Four thematic clusters provide students direction in developing a focal interest. However, students may choose courses from within and between thematic clusters to fit career goals. Internship (COMM 4191), Undergraduate Research Experience (COMM 4998(H)), or Undergraduate Honors Thesis (COMM 4999(H)), may also count as one of these courses one time within any of the thematic clusters.

| l | | Citister in Interpersonal Communication Processes | |
|---|--|---|---|
| Cluster in Mass | Media Effects | COMM 2668 | Intercultural Communication (3) |
| COMM 2442 | Media Violence (3) | COMM 3624 | Communication in Personal Relationships (3) |
| COMM 3402 | Crime and the News Media (3) | COMM 3629 | Language and Social Interaction (3) |
| COMM 3413 | Media Entertainment (3) | COMM 3662 | Communication and Gender (3) |
| COMM 3466 | Communication and Popular Culture (2) | COMM 3667 | Nonverbal Communication (3) |
| COMM 4401 | Mass Communication and Youth (3) | | |
| COMM 4445 | Stereotypes in Media (3) | COMM 4600 | Communication and Emotion (3) |
| COMM 4600 | Communication and Emotion (3) | COMM 4635 | Small Group Communication (3) |
| COMM 4814 | Political Communication (3) | COMM 4665 | Communication and Community (3) |
| COMM 4814 | Political Communication (3) | COMM 4736 | Health Comm. in Interpersonal Contexts (3) |
| COMM 3330(H) COMM 3404(H) COMM 3628 COMM 4665 COMM 4668 COMM 4814 COMM 4820(H) COMM 4853.01 | nunication for Advocacy and Politics) Communication and Conflict Management (2) Comm. and Decision Making (2)) Media Law and Ethics (3) Contemporary Persuasion Theory (3) Communication and Community (3) Issues in Intercultural Comm. (3) Political Communication (3)) Public Opinion and Comm. (3) New Media and Democracy (2) Media and Social Movements (2) | | h. Science, Risk Communication) Science Communication (3) Risk Communication (2) Contemporary Persuasion Theory (3) Issues in Intercultural Communication (3) Health Comm in Interpersonal Contexts (3) Health Comm in Mass Mediated Contexts (3) Health Communication and New Media (3) |
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(H) – Honors course offered

İnfernship - To reinforce the fit between coursework and real-world applications and to improve career opportunities, students are strongly encouraged to take an internship for at least one semester.

Minor - Students are encouraged to complete a minor in one of the following areas: Political Science – Psychology – International Studies – Legal Foundations of Society – Sociology

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Communication Analysis & Practice: Quarters



School of Communication

Communication Analysis and Practice - BA (Minimum 50 hours)

Program Area Description: Students can specialize in different areas including public opinion and media effects, communication in a democracy, relational and health communication, and communication and advocacy.

Students in this area will take courses that emphasize the following:

- The study of mass media as social, cultural, and political institutions
- The relationship of mass communication to public opinion, political and health communication
- Various methods used to study opinions and behaviors

Students will train for careers as communication specialists for media, telecommunication, health and political organizations.

| Research Metho Choose one of the | |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| COMM 460(H) | Communication Research Methods |
| COMM 463 | Communication Industry Research Methods |
| COMM 672 | Qualitative Interviewing as Communication Practice |

| Focus Area Req | <u>uirements</u> (20 credit hrs.) | |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| All four required: | | |
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| COMM 321 | Public Speaking | |
| COMM 320 | Interpersonal Communication | |
| COMM 367(H) | Persuasive Communication | |
| COMM 642 | Mass Communication and Society | |

(H) Honors course offered

Internship - To reinforce the fit between coursework and real-world applications and to improve career opportunities, students are strongly encouraged to take an internship for at least one quarter.

Minor - Students are encouraged to complete a minor in one of

the following areas:
Political Science – Psychology – International Studies
– Legal Foundations of Society – Sociology

| Focus Area Electives | (25 credit hrs.) | | | |
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| Choose at least 5 additional courses in the School of Communication. At | | | | |
| least 3 should be at the 500 level or above. | | | | |
| | Within a broad array of offerings in the CAP area, three thematic | | | |
| clusters are highlighted to pro | vide students some direction in developing | | | |
| a focal interest. However, stu | dents are not restricted to courses within a | | | |
| single thematic cluster. Instea | d they are encouraged to choose courses | | | |
| from within and between ther | natic clusters to fit career goals. Internship | | | |
| (COMM 683) may count as o | (COMM 683) may count as one of these courses. | | | |
| Suggested Thematic Clusters | | | | |
| | | | | |
| Courses for a focus on Media | Effects and Public Opinion | | | |
| | nmunication and Youth | | | |
| | tertainment | | | |
| | Communication | | | |
| | pinion & Communication | | | |
| | Communication | | | |
| | es in Advertising, News and Entertainment | | | |
| TV | | | | |
| | Communication and e-Democracy | | | |
| COMM 666 Commun | ication and Popular Culture | | | |
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| Courses for a focus on Relati | | | | |
| | ral Comm in Organizational Contexts | | | |
| | Personal Relationship | | | |
| | omm in Interpersonal Contexts | | | |
| | omm in Mass Mediated Contexts | | | |
| | ication and e-Health | | | |
| COMM 662 Commun | ication and Gender | | | |
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| Courses for a focus on Communication and Advocacy | | | | |
| | ication and Conflict Management | | | |
| | nmunication Law | | | |
| | orary Persuasion Theory | | | |
| | and Social Interaction | | | |
| | ication and Decision Making | | | |
| | plications of Technology | | | |
| | ication and Community | | | |
| COMM 669 Commun | ication, Power and Knowledge | | | |
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Transition Policy:

Students who began their degree under quarters will not be penalized as we move to semesters, either in terms of progress towards their degree or their expected date of graduation. We will convert credits by program within the major. Advisors are already meeting with students to insure that they will not be adversely affected by the conversion and are able to graduate on time. We do not see a need for bridge courses in Communication.

Appendix D. Revision of premajor process for semester calendar

Current process requires all students, with the exception of Honors students who are directly enrolled, to apply for admission to the School of Communication and a particular major/sub-plan. The number of students admitted equals the program's enrollment capacity. If the number of applicants exceeds the number of available spaces, enrollment is based on student's cumulative grade point average. To be eligible for admission students must complete premajor courses (COMM 101 with C- or better, COMM 200 with C- or better, and Statistics 135 or 145 (for Communication major) and a minimum number of hours at Ohio State (30 hours for transfer students and 45 hours for native students).

With the semester conversion upon us it is time to adjust our practice of admitting students to the communication major. It is no longer practical to require this length of time in premajor status. The reduced number of enrollment periods places a greater importance on students being connected to their major program and beginning progress toward their major program earlier in their college career.

Given the large number of transfer students we see applying to the School of Communication it is especially important that we revise our process for advanced transfers. To ensure efficient movement of qualified students into our major programs it is essential we review and update transfer equivalencies with Ohio colleges and universities. It is also important that we establish premajor requirement equivalencies and entry level major courses with our neighbor Columbus State Community College. This process has already begun as we reviewed courses in development at CSCC this past year.

Freshmen admitted to the University will be considered for admission to the School of Communication after a minimum of one semester (minimum of 15 semester hours) and the completion of COMM 101 (1101) with C- or better and COMM 200 (1100) with C- or better. The current third premajor course (Statistics 135 or 145) will be removed from the premajor requirements and attached to appropriate course requirements within the majors. Statistics 135, 145 or equivalent has been added to COMM 460 (2160) and 463 (2163) as a prerequisite. These courses are indeed essential to a student's success in the respective courses but they offer relatively little value in the actual admission decision.

Transfer students who identify communication as their intended major can be considered for admission to the School in their first semester at OSU if they have completed COMM 101 (1101) and COMM 200 (1100) equivalents and are transferring a minimum of 15 semester hours. The admission decision will be based on combined cumulative transfer grade point average. Transfer students not meeting these requirements upon entrance would be considered for admission following the completion of the required premajor courses and the decision based upon the student's OSU cumulative grade point average.

Students beginning their college careers at OSU's regional campuses will be able to complete the required premajor courses on their respective campuses. All regional campuses currently offer COMM 101 and 200.

Appeals will continue to be accepted from those students who have been denied admission to the School of Communication based on non-completion of premajor requirements and/or not having met grade point average standards.

Applications to the School of Communication will be accepted three times a year: Fall semester, Spring semester and Summer term. Students will continue to be able to submit applications online for review by the Undergraduate Committee. Notification of admission decisions will be emailed to students within two weeks of the application deadline.

Communication

Curriculum map, indicating how program goals are accomplished via specific courses.

Program learning goals

- Goal 1. Students are knowledgeable about the principles of communication within a social science framework and understand the role of communication in society.
- Goal 2. Students are competent in practicing communication.
- Goal 3. Students are sufficiently trained and prepared to get jobs in the field of communication.

| | Goal 1: Comm. Principles | Goal 2: Comm. Practice | Goal 3: Career Preparation |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Premajor | | | |
| 1100 | Basic | | |
| 1101 | Basic | | Basic |
| Research Methods | | | |
| 2160(H), 2165, 2163 | | Intermediate | Advanced |
| Core Requirements | | | |
| Strategic COMM | | | |
| 2321 | Basic | | |
| 2325 | Intermediate | Intermediate | |
| 2331 | | Advanced | Intermediate |
| 2367(H) | Basic | Intermediate | |
| 4337 | | | Advanced |
| New Media & Comm. Tech. | | | |
| 2367(H) | Basic | Intermediate | |
| 2540 | Basic | | |
| 3545 | Intermediate | Basic | |
| 3554 | Advanced | | |
| Comm. Analysis & Practice | | | |
| 1110 | Basic | | |
| 2367(H) | Basic | Intermediate | |
| 2620 | Basic | Basic | |
| 3440 | | Intermediate | |

| Sub-Plan Electives | | | |
|--|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Strategic Com. (9 cr. req.) | | | |
| 2668 | | | Intermediate |
| 3330(H) | | Intermediate | |
| 3331 | | Advanced | Advanced |
| 3333 | | Intermediate | |
| 3334 | | Intermediate | |
| 3345 | Advanced | | |
| 3444 | Advanced | | Intermediate |
| 3628 | Advanced | Intermediate | |
| 4820(H) | Advanced | | Advanced |
| New Media & Comm Technology | | | |
| 2511 (or outside credits in | Intermediate | Intermediate | Basic |
| Visual Design) | | | |
| Other Specialization | | | |
| (3 cr. req.) | | | |
| 3513 | Intermediate | | |
| 4554 | Intermediate | Intermediate | Intermediate |
| 4557 | Intermediate | | Intermediate |
| 4738 | Intermediate | | Intermediate |
| 4853.01 | Intermediate | Intermediate | |
| 4853.02 | Intermediate | Intermediate | |
| | Goal 1: Comm. Principles | Goal 2: Comm. Practice | Goal 3: Career Preparation |
| Comm. Analysis & Practice | | | |
| N/A as CAP has elective clusters instead (see below) | | | |
| Special Topic Electives | | | |
| Strategic Comm (3 req.) | | | |
| 2131 | Intermediate | Advanced | Basic |
| 2511 | | Basic | Basic |
| 3332 | Intermediate | | Intermediate |
| 4190 | | Intermed./Adv. | Advanced |

| 4191 | | Intermed./Adv. | Advanced |
|---|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 4445 | Advanced | | Intermediate |
| 4556 | Advanced | | Intermediate |
| 4635 | Advanced | | Intermediate |
| 4668 | Advanced | Advanced | |
| 4998(H) | | Advanced | Advanced |
| 4999(H) | | Advanced | Advanced |
| Comm. Technology (9 cr. from one track) | | | |
| Track 1: | | | |
| | Goal 1: Comm. Principles | Goal 2: Comm. Practice | Goal 3: Career Preparation |
| 4191 | | | Advanced |
| 4511 | Advanced | Advanced | Advanced |
| 4555 | Advanced | Advanced | |
| 4557 | Advanced | Advanced | Intermediate |
| CS&E 1223 | | Advanced | Intermediate |
| CS&E 1211 | | Advanced | Intermediate |
| CS&E 2310 | | Advanced | Intermediate |
| PSYCH 2310 | Intermediate | | |
| PSYCH 2312 | Intermediate | Intermediate | |
| PSYCH 4597.02 | | | Intermediate |
| 4998(H) | | Advanced | Advanced |
| 4999(H) | | Advanced | Advanced |
| | Goal 1: Comm. Principles | Goal 2: Comm. Practice | Goal 3: Career Preparation |
| Track 2: | | | |
| 3330(H) | Advanced | Intermediate | |
| 3331 | Advanced | Intermediate | Advanced |
| 4191 | Advanced | Intermediate | Advanced |
| 4556 | Advanced | Advanced | Advanced |
| 4557 | | Advanced | Advanced |
| BUS MHR 2200 | | Advanced | Intermediate |
| BUS M&L 2250 | | Advanced | Intermediate |
| CS&E 1113 | | Advanced | Intermediate |
| CS&E 1233 | | Advanced | Advanced |

| 4998(H) | | Advanced | Advanced |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 4999(H) | | Advanced | Advanced |
| | | | |
| COMM Analysis & Practice | | | |
| 2442 | Basic | | |
| 2668 | Intermediate | | |
| 3240(H) | | Basic | |
| 3330 (H) | Advanced | Intermediate | |
| 3331 | Advanced | | Intermediate |
| 3332 | Advanced | | Intermediate |
| 3402 | Intermediate | | |
| 3404(H) | Advanced | Intermediate | Intermediate |
| 3413 | Intermediate | | |
| 3466 | Intermediate | | |
| 3624 | Intermediate | | |
| 3628 | | Intermediate | Intermediate |
| 3629 | Intermediate | Intermediate | |
| 3662 | | Intermediate | Intermediate |
| 3667 | Intermediate | Intermediate | |
| 4401 | Intermediate | | Basic |
| 4445 | Advanced | Intermediate | |
| 4600 | | Intermediate | Intermediate |
| 4635 | | Intermediate | Intermediate |
| 4665 | | Intermediate | Intermediate |
| 4668 | | Intermediate | Intermediate |
| 4736 | | Intermediate | Intermediate |
| 4737 | | Intermediate | Advanced |
| 4738 | | Intermediate | Advanced |
| 4814 | | Intermediate | Advanced |
| 4820(H) | | Intermediate | Advanced |
| 4853.01 | | Intermediate | Advanced |
| 4853.02 | | Intermediate | Advanced |
| 4998(H) | | Advanced | Advanced |
| 4999(H) | | Advanced | Advanced |